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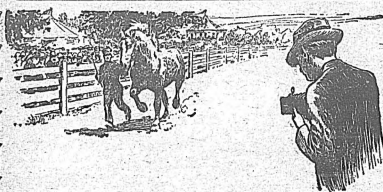
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## Conscription : The All Absorbing Question in Canada !

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## Breezelets

Oliver refused to honor the National Anthem when the conscription bill was passed.

What's the matter with Oliver, anyway? O-liver trouble!

A "draft" overseas in the trenches is strongly recommended as a sure cure for that complaint.

A correspondent says she read there was a shortage of trench periscopes, but didn't think it would matter much as the soldiers could see as fully as much by looking over the edge.

The ex-Czar appears to be giving less trouble in Russia than anybody else, except his ancestors.

By their faith Christian Scientists may move mountains; but the fact that the Christain Science Monitor has felt compelled to increase its sales price from two cents to three would indicate that faith is powerless against paper manufacturers.

Whale meat may be every bit as good as the department of agriculture says it is.

But we don't mind telling the D. of A. that whales are turned hard to catch and too all-fired heavy to carry home, particularly when it comes to Lake whales.

We don't see how the young men in the underwear advertisements are going to escape being called to the colors.

Horse meat is declared good, but it's the mule steak that has the kick.

Another strategic retreat in the west, is it?

Well, to let Russia feed 30,000 prisoners may help some in the food supply question.

A man may be stone deaf, but when money talks he always understands.

Allies forced out Greek king. Here's hoping that they will soon do the same thing to the German kaiser.

Lot of people pursue a career, but mighty few of them catch up with it.

## "And They All Began to Make Excuses"

## WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE ?

Why didn't you go to church last Sunday? Didn't see you there, but you probably had a good reason. A certain clergyman in Alberta got interested in the reason some people were not at church, and investigated and these are some of the reasons he found for their non-attending: I am too tired.

I had to go so much when I was a boy that I'm squaring things up now.

There's no socialbility in the congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. So-and-So snubbed me.

They make social distinctions in that church.

I don't feel well enough.

It's too stormy.

It's too fine a day.

I have some work I must do.

I have visitors or callers on Sunday.

I have to make calls that day.

The singing is too bad.

The service is too long.

The sermon is a bore.

I don't like the preacher.

The church is too cold; or it's too hot.

The seats in the church are too uncomfortable.

They never ask me to do anything.

My wife goes.

The children go to Sunday school.

I can't believe the things they preach.

It costs too much.

I have better use for my money I prefer to read at home.

I can't get a seat or a pew to suit me.

They talk too much about money.

I dislike the crowd that run the church.

Somebody-snubbed my wife; or my husband, etc.

If the services were at an earlier hour I'd go.

If the services were at a later hour I'd go.

The light hurts my eyes.

They quarrel too much in that place.

It isn't the denomination that I've been brought up in.

I'm closed in all week and need recreation so I take a drive or an auto ride in the country.

And what will be the excuse the Reaper Death asks the same question?

## Chinook Breezes

Mrs. Bray and family are expected to leave this week to spend a month with her mother in Calgary.

Mrs. C. W. Rideout and family left this week for Nova Scotia, to spend a few months with Mr. Rideout's parents.

Mrs. W. Pullen and young daughter of Calgary are spending a month with Mr. Pullen on the farm.

## Valuable Mare Killed

During the electrical storm on Monday night, a valuable mare belonging to Mr. Frank Deman was struck and killed by lightning.

## Was Badly Scalded

Dorothy, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bray, was badly scalded the other day, by pulling over a bowl of boiling water, the water running down her neck and body.

## Discontinued During July

It has been decided by the Chinook Women's Institute to discontinue the weekly Red Cross teas during the month of July. Announcement will be made later when they start again.

## Not Enough Yet

The rains during the past week have helped the crops some, but more rain is needed yet. In some cases the standing of the wheat is only from 8 to 12 inches high, and much of it heading out. Here and there are to be found some pretty good looking and promising fields of wheat.

## You and the Bug-Juice

Lee You was found with too much bug-juice on his premises this week—and you bet You wishes he hadn't gotten in so much at one time now, as the number of bucks he had to shell out towards the government revenue—and the sum was some sum, too—will take some washewashee to make up.

## Oh, Ye Ball Players!

A farmer dropped into our sanctum one day this week and called our attention to the dangerous practice of "playing ball" on Main Street, and wanted to know if there was a by-law prohibiting such practice. He says by the nearest chance he escaped running down with his auto on Saturday night one of the players who suddenly ran in front of his car to "catch a ball."

It's more rain, or not much crops.

## It Was Quite a Moving Time

That was some wind and rain that passed over Chinook on Wednesday evening.

## Wonder If They All Got There

Quite a number from Chinook and vicinity motored to Medicine Hat to witness the stampede.

## Another Who Has Paid the Price

Word has been received that Dalton Rideout, brother of Major C. W. Rideout, has been killed in action.

## Had a Pleasant Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Deman and family motored over from Granum to Chinook last week, taking in the Calgary exhibition on the way.

## Watch For This

A big baseball dance is billed to take place in Chinook, on the ground floor of the new wing of the Acadia Hotel, on Friday, July 27th. This will be the dance of the season. Watch for posters for particulars.

## All For a Good Cause

Don't forget Chinook's sports day next Wednesday, July 18th. Proceeds for Red Cross. The Chinook Women's Institute is giving a dinner and supper on the ground floor of the new wing of the hotel, very generously offered by Mr. Carter, the proceeds for the Red Cross.

## A Very Successful Day

Coliholme sports day (a report of which has not reached us yet) was the most successful in its history. It is estimated that over 1000 people were present. Some 100 gallons of ice cream alone were consumed during the afternoon, besides barrels of lemonade, etc. We understand that between \$700.00 and \$900.00 was realized, almost all of which goes to the Red Cross.

## Was Almost Fatal

Mrs. Tom Sandman was taken very sudden with appendicitis on Monday while at her home. She was hurried to Chinook, taking the train early on Tuesday morning for Calgary, where she was operated upon the same day. It was found that the appendix was perforated badly in one place and was discharging. There is every probability had a delay of another say twenty-four hour occurred, the case would have proved fatal. We understand that she is progressing favorably. But where is Chinook's hospital?









# STAMPEDE

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## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH- WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Land Agency (not not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months' residence in each of six years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$10.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior

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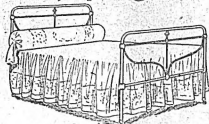
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Lemons, 45c per. Bananas 12 1/2c per lb  
Grape Fruit 15c each  
Tomatoes, Lettuce and Rhubarb will be in this week, and all other vegetables and fruit in season  
Lard (by the bulk) 28c per lb.  
Salt Pork 25c per lb

On account of the big jump in price of flour bread will be 10 cents straight per loaf

**Let us have your Grocery Order**

Highest market price for Butter and Eggs.

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Special Notices in the local columns to cents per line each insertion.

A. NICHOLSON,  
Editor and Proprietor

### Chinook Breezes

Mrs. Turnbull and two young daughters of Wilkie, Sask., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller for a few days this week.

R. C. service will be held in Arm's hall, Chinook, on Sunday morning, July 29th, at 10 o'clock Rev. Father Bowlen.

In addition to the programme of sports published for Chinook's sports day, there will be a big and exciting bucking contest.

It is said "Little Miss Innocence" was "shocked" up the line and was not able to fill her engagement here on Wednesday night.

#### A Very Narrow Escape

During the blizzard on Wednesday, and when the wind was blowing the strongest, Chinook came near having a disastrous—for it would have been disastrous with such a wind—fire. A rubbish heap in the rear of the garage had been fired earlier in the day, and the smouldering ashes and half-burned-out oily waste was quickly fanned into a flame and carried by the wind into some lumber piled against the back of the garage, which soon burst into flame. Luckily it was noticed from the dining room of the hotel when several men rushed out and removed the burning lumber from the building and put the fire out before the garage had been fired, which in a few minutes more would have been ignited. Had it occurred during the night with that wind blowing no doubt the village would have been practically wiped out. How careful one should be when burning up rubbish and not to leave it even until every spark is out. This narrow escape should serve as a warning to every one of us. We cannot afford to be careless about fire—no, not for an instant.

#### Pound Notice

Notice is hereby given under Sec. 210 of the Rural Municipality Act that  
One Grey Gelding, about 2 years old, weight 950 lbs., branded Y on right shoulder and 9 on right hip was impounded in a pound kept by the undersigned, sec 22 t 26 r 8.  
A. Stevenson, Poundkeeper  
Heathdale

#### Farm Wanted

Within a reasonable distance from town. State price and full particulars in first letter.  
FRANK DEMAN  
P.O. Box 85, Chinook

#### Strayed

Bay Gelding, rising 3 years, white face, two hind feet white, probably one white front foot.  
Bright Bay Mare, 3 years old, two white hind feet, probably one white white front foot.  
Both branded on right thigh G  
One year-old Colt, white face, three white feet, brown or rat color, no brand.  
Reward given  
R. STEWART,  
Chinook P.O.,  
12-28-8

### CHINOOK MARKETS

Wheat, No. 1	\$2 14
" No. 2	2 11
" No. 3	2 06
Oats, No. 2, Canada West	59
Oats, feed	55
Barley	1 00
Flax	2 35
Corn	
Live Hogs (Calgary)	13 25
Eggs	25
Butter	30

### In the District Court OF THE DISTRICT OF CALGARY

In the matter of the Estate of the late John Blair, late of Sedalia, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John Blair, who died on or about the 21st day of September, 1916, are required on or before the

15th day of August, 1917

to send by post, prepaid, or delivered to Griffith & Company, Barristers, Youngstown, solicitors for the Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, verified by a Statutory Declaration.

And Further Take Notice, that after such last mentioned date the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said Executrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Youngstown, Alberta, this 9th day of July, 1917.

GRIFFITH & COMPANY,  
Solicitors for the said Executrix

#### Van Drivers Wanted

By the Chinook Consolidated S.D., for Routes No. 2 and 3, as contracts with John Sandman and Robert Dillon have expired. Tenders for above routes for next term will be received up to Friday evening, July 20th.

Also tenders for conveyance of Master Roland Shabino of Popular S.D. to meet van driven by Mr Kinch LORNE PROUDFOOT, Sec.

#### LOST

One Brown Gelding Colt, with star in face, one year old  
One Black Mare, two years old, white strip in face and two white hind feet, branded L on left shoulder.  
Liberal Reward for information leading to recovery of same.  
ED. LOREE, Wastina

#### Lost

A Light Sorrel Mare, about 7 years old, white mane and tail, white face, branded—(on left hip, wire cut on right front foot, raw hide halter, rope dragging on her. Left June 22nd.  
M. E. BOWLEN  
e. hf sec 36-26-8 Big Springs P.O.

#### Came to My Premises

Bay Mare, two white hind feet, white star in forehead, white stripe on nose branded 9 S on left shoulder, weight about 1400, foaled since coming to my place.  
NORMAN GRIGG,  
s.e. qr sec 25-28-8 Chinook

#### NOTICE

All amounts owing to Chinook Agricultural Society for donations to the hall, or for ads in the prize lists of previous years should be paid to the Union Bank, Chinook, or to LORNE PROUDFOOT, Sec., Chinook, Alta.

#### NOTICE

Owners of Granaries on the grounds of the Chinook Agricultural Society are notified that such granaries must be removed from the grounds before the 15th day of July next.

LORNE PROUDFOOT, Sec.-Treas

#### Wagon Tire Missing

Will the party who picked up wagon tire on road southeast of Chinook please return same to W. W. Isbister Chinook.

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#### Strayed to My Premises

25-29-7, on June 3rd, one Dark Bay Mare, white right hind leg above hock, some white in face, no brand.  
W. A. TODD, Chinook P.O.

#### Pound Notice

To whom it may concern  
One dark brown Mare Colt, with a small star on head, no brand visible  
One black Horse Colt, with small star on head, no brand visible  
was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the n.e. qr section 32-28-7 w of 4th m., on Monday, June 4, 1917.  
Dated this 6th day of June, 1917.  
CHAS. HERVE, Poundkeeper

#### Free Hog Feed

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